PATENT 09/032,083

#8



1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Robert T. Bell et al.

Serial No.:

09/032,083

Filing Date:

February 27, 1998

Group Art Unit:

2663

Examiner:

Huy D. Vu

Title:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PERFORMING SIGNALING

ON BEHALF OF A STATELESS CLIENT

ATTENTION: OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C.

20231

Dear Sir:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the date shown below.

Wame

Dot

LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

In order to conform the drawings of this application to its related applications, Applicants respectfully request approval to amend FIGURES 2, 5, and 6. Corrected formal drawings have been submitted herewith and a copy of these drawings and the transmittal of formal drawings are attached hereto for your convenience and review.

2

REMARKS

Applicants request approval for the above-stated amendment to the drawings. The Examiner objected to the drawings under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(g) and 1.84(p). An amended FIGURE 2, correcting poor line quality, is submitted for the approval of the Examiner and the Official Draftsman. Additionally, amended FIGURES 5 and 6, correcting margins, are submitted for the approval of the Examiner and the Official Draftsman. It is submitted that no new matter is added by this amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

BAKER BOTTS L.L.P. Attorneys for Applicants

Barton E. Showalter Reg. No. 38,102

Date:

February 26,2001

Baker Botts L.L.P. 2001 Ross Avenue, Suite 600 Dallas, Texas 75201-2980 (214) 953-6509

CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS:

Baker Botts L.L.P. 2001 Ross Avenue, Suite 600 Dallas, TX 75201-2980